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CLASS 9: software for automation of operation of a storage infrastructure; software for visibility into the operation of a storage infrastructure; software for operation of a storage infrastructure; software for management and control of a storage infrastructure; software for management, control and operation of storage applications

FIRST USE 11-20-2017; IN COMMERCE 11-20-2017

CLASS 42: providing on-line non-downloadable software for automation of operation of a storage infrastructure; providing on-line non-downloadable software for visibility into the operation of a storage infrastructure; providing on-line non-downloadable software for operation of a storage infrastructure; providing on-line non-downloadable software for management and control of a storage infrastructure, applications and services

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